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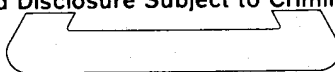
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NPIC/PEG (03/82)MOTORIZED RIFLE DIVISION UPGRADE, SIBERIAN MD
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1. (S/D) SIGNIFICANCE: THE NEWLY FORMING MOTORIZED RIFLE DIVISION (MRD), IDENTIFIED HERE [REDACTED] HAS RECEIVED MOST OF ITS COMPLEMENT OF TANKS AND ADDITIONAL SUPPORT EQUIPMENT. THE DIVISIONS SUBORDINATE REGIMENTS/BATTALIONS HAVE ALSO BEEN MOVED INTO SEPARATE VEHICLE PARKS.

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2. (S/D) REMARKS: ALTHOUGH NO MOTORIZED RIFLE REGIMENT (MRR) HAS YET RECEIVED ITS COMPLEMENT OF ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS, TWO OF THE MRR NOW HAVE TANK BATTALIONS OF 40 TANKS EACH AND THE THIRD MRR HAS A TANK BATTALION OF 31 TANKS. THE TANK REGIMENT HAS 78 TANKS. IN ADDITION TO THE TANKS, SUPPORT VEHICLES ARE ALSO IN EACH OF THE FOUR MANEUVER REGIMENTS. SUPPORT EQUIPMENT INCLUDES PRIME MOVERS FOR EACH OF THE REGIMENTS ARTILLERY ASSETS, SOME ENGINEER COMPANY EQUIPMENT IN TWO OF THE REGIMENTS, AND FROM 20 TO 35 TRUCKS (PROBABLE MOTOR TRANSPORT COMPANY ASSETS) IN EACH OF THE REGIMENTS.

UNITS CONFIRMED IN THIS DIVISION INCLUDE A TANK REGIMENT, THREE MRR, AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT, A MULTIPLE ROCKET LAUNCHER BATTALION, A DIVISIONAL ANTITANK BATTALION, AN ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY REGIMENT, AND AN ENGINEER BATTALION. PROBABLE UNITS PRESENT INCLUDE A SIGNAL BATTALION AND A MAINTENANCE BATTALION.

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MRD, THIS INSTALLATION HOUSES ELEMENTS OF THE 13TH MRD (PARTIALLY ON GRAPHIC), WHICH IS HEADQUARTERED AT BIYSK ARMY BARRACKS AL 2/HEADQUARTERS MRD [REDACTED] AND MAJOR ELEMENTS OF A MOBILIZATION MRD (PARTIALLY ON GRAPHIC).

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